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In re Application of:  
Jay French, Roy Janson  
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For: HYDROTHERAPY AND EXERCISE  
DEVICE WITH INTEGRATED LIFT  
AND TREADMILL MEANS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed December 21, 1995,  
applicants hereby state as follows:

Please delete claims 1 through 24 and replace with the  
following claims 27 through 33.

27.1. An aquatic therapy tank apparatus for holding water and  
having jets of water injected into the tank at a desired water flow  
rate for providing aquatic therapy and exercise comprising:

a. A tank for retaining water, said tank having a front  
end, a back end, two opposing sides, and a bottom affixed to the  
ends and sides so as to allow it to hold water;

b. Elongated treadmill means in said tank situated  
between the front end and back end with driving means for rotating  
the treadmill and having means for adjusting the speed of rotation;

c. Elongated platform means for supporting the  
treadmill means, said platform means having a front end near the  
front end of the tank, and a back end near the back end of the  
tank;